

## WASHINGTON CRITIC

## WEATHER INDICATIONS.

For District of Columbia, Maryland, Virginia and North Carolina, fair weather, stationary temperature, northerly winds becoming variable. For Wednesday generally fair weather and stationary temperature are indicated for New England and the Middle Atlantic States.

**Thermometer Readings.**  
Thermometer readings for July 20, 1886: 3 a. m., 68°; 7 a. m., 70°; 11 a. m., 75°; 1 p. m., 78°; 3 p. m., 77°; 5 p. m., 75°; 7 p. m., 73°; 9 p. m., 71°; 11 p. m., 69°; minimum, 65°; mean relative humidity, 64.

## AMUSEMENTS.

**Albion's**—Washington Summer Opera Company in "Marianne."  
**National**—McCull Opera Company in "The Crowning Hour."  
**The Biscuits**—Mexican Typical Orchestra in Concert.  
**Panorama**—Second Battle of Bull Run.

## CITY SPECIALS.

**Special Excursion to the Seaside.**  
The passenger department of the Pennsylvania Railroad takes pleasure in announcing to its patrons of special train service to Cape May, Atlantic City and Sea Isle Saturday next, the 24th instant, at rate of \$2 for the round-trip, leaving Washington at 10 a. m. and returning at 11:30 p. m. The objectionable feature of the excursion as inaugurated last season, that is, transferring by ferry from Washington to street wharf to Camden, will, during the present season, be removed, as the special train, composed of first-class coaches, will be run through to Cape May and Atlantic City from Washington without change of cars. Tickets will be placed on sale at the offices of the Pennsylvania Railroad to-morrow, and as the sale of tickets is limited, parties desiring to avail themselves of this low rate should purchase tickets early.

**Go to R. A. Golden's**  
Potomac River and Game Stands, Centre Market, for large Crisfield soft crabs.

**National Summerfest** takes place in Milwaukee, Wis., on the 22d inst. The Pennsylvania Railroad Company announces special reduction in rates to that point. All on agent at Sixth street station for further information.

**Money Saved.**  
Read this: \$5.20 walnut extension table; children's rockers and high chairs, 45c; large cane-seat rockers, \$1.50; some at \$1.25; ash chamber stools, \$2.50; some marble top chamber stools, \$3.50; iron chairs, rockers, etc.; \$25; six walnut cane-seat chairs, \$5.50; kitchen tables, \$1.10; rattan rockers, \$2.50; six cane-seat chairs, \$3.75; Chesapeake tables, \$1.50; marble top walnut table, \$2.50; baby carriages, parlor set, \$7.50. Wm. H. Dunn, No. 311 Seventh street northwest.

**Furniture, Carpets, Blankets.**  
Comforts and general house-furnishing goods sold at easy weekly or monthly payments at John Smith's Installment House, 418 New Jersey avenue and 432 Pennsylvania avenue northwest, second door from Fourth and-half street.

**Excursions to Cape May and Atlantic City, via Pennsylvania Railroad.**  
Every Friday, commencing on the 16th inst., during the months of July and August, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell round-trip tickets to Cape May and Atlantic City at the very low rate of \$5. Tickets will be good going on 11 a. m. train, which reaches the seashore in time for early tea. The tickets will be good to return within five days.

## Grand Army Encampment, San Francisco.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company announces round-trip tickets to San Francisco, Cal., at the rate of \$75, the tickets good going until August 3 and limited to return until November 30, stop-off privileges being allowed at all points en route. For information regarding these tickets call on or address R. A. Parke, agent, Pennsylvania Railroad, Sixth street station, Washington, D. C.

**The Pennsylvania Railroad**  
Company announces round-trip tickets to Topeka, Kan., at \$22. Tickets good going either by Chicago or St. Louis and limited to September 30. For information regarding these tickets call on or address R. A. Parke, agent, Pennsylvania Railroad, Sixth street station.

## Charles Brill's Invigorating Establishment.

This popular resort for gentlemen is centrally located in the Potomac. It has a national reputation for mixing the finest and most palatable concoctions known to the knights of the bottle. As a journey through life let us stop by the way to call on Charles, to stay the summer man.

**Ladies' and Gent's Dining Rooms.**  
C. A. Eckstein, formerly of the Riggs House, has opened an elegant restaurant for ladies and gentlemen at 725 Seventh street northwest. The second floor is superbly furnished for the accommodation of ladies. Charles is an excellent caterer and will attend to the dining-room in person. Splendid luncheon will be served daily and the bar is stocked with the finest brands of wines, liquors and cigars.

**John's Long and Well-Established Restaurant.**  
On the corner of Seventh and D streets northwest has changed hands. The present proprietor has thoroughly renovated and made many needed improvements, and it is now one of the most attractive resorts in the city. It is new, owned by an experienced caterer, and employs none but who are equal to himself, and he proposes to redeem his former reputation by the most tempting menu, comprising in part soups, clam chowder, fried chicken, hard, soft and deviled crabs, lobster, macaroni, all kinds, choice cuts of meat, fish, game, &c. Oysters a specialty, roasted, fried, stewed and raw. Every delicacy in season and all the finest brands of wet goods and cigars. Go and see for yourself and be convinced and enjoy some of his luxuries.

**Mammoth Installment House.**  
John Rubben's popular installment houses, 959 and 963 Seventh street northwest, are filled to their utmost capacity with all kinds of furniture, rugs, carpets, clocks, pictures, refrigerators, baby carriages, all styles and sizes of cooking and other stoves. These goods will be sold very low for the summer for cash or on easy payments on the installment plan.

**"Alderson Dairy Wagon."**  
Fresh Alderson butter, churned every morning, and delivered by a D. B. Ward's prints, 35c. per lb. Also cottage cheese, butter milk and sweet milk, 5c. per qt. Cream, 15c. per pt.

**COURT RECORD.**  
POLICE COURT—Judge Snell.—George Franklin, assault; \$50 or 30 days. Thomas McCabe, larceny; \$5 or 15 days. John M. Ryan, vagrancy; 30 days or 10 days. Wm. M. Tennyson and Carrie Calloway, profanity; \$5 or 15 days each. Wm. Smith, disorderly in the county; \$5 or 7 days.

**Real Estate Sales.**  
Mr. C. W. Patterson has sold to Mr. W. L. Rose for \$10,000 his property on Fourteenth street, between 8 and 9 streets, having a front of 35 feet by a depth of 120.  
Mrs. Addie T. Cherry has sold to Jacob H. Kengia for \$5,000 her property on P street, between 22nd and 23rd streets northwest, having a frontage of 21 feet by a depth of 69 feet.

**Larceny Case Suspended.**  
The charge against John W. McFarland of grand larceny from Miss Mary J. McBride has been suspended, to await action of the higher court on the charge of arson against the latter.

**One rubbing of St. Job's Oil cured me of neuralgia.**—Mr. T. Bann, Liverpool, England.

## CITY NEWS PARAGRAPHS.

—The funeral of the late Detective Cox took place at Oak Hill cemetery chapel last evening. There was a large attendance of his fellow-officers and friends.

—The stockholders of the Colonial Beach Improvement Company have elected the following officers: President, Professor A. Merville Bell; vice-president, Anthony Pollok; treasurer, Charles W. Bell; secretary, R. H. Evans; directors, J. W. Davis, E. W. Dym, J. J. McKelone, J. B. Hammond, W. A. Yates, J. B. Bloss, and G. G. Cornell.

**West Washington.**  
—Mrs. Thomas Gibbs is in Upper Maryland on a short visit.

—Shipping News.—Arrived: Schooner Nellie W. Craig with 600 tons of lumber for the Falls Ice Company; schooner Dart, with lumber for Wheatley Bros.

—Temperature and condition of the water at 7 a. m.: Great Falls, temperature, 75; condition, C; receiving reservoir, temperature, 80; condition at North connection, 90; condition at south connection, 4; discharging reservoir, temperature, 73; condition at inlet gate-house, 13; condition at outlet gate-house, 10.

**South Washington.**  
—An old colored man named Matthew Henderson, while picking up wood at Given's wharf yesterday fell overboard, but, owing to the shallow water, he was not taken suddenly ill and was removed to Freeman's Hospital in the ambulance.

—Miss William M. H. Street southwest is visiting friends in West Virginia.

**East Washington.**  
—Commander A. J. Kellogg left the Navy Yard this morning for a month's absence.

—Arthur Buckler, the young man who accidentally broke his leg while playing baseball at Capitol Park some time ago, died last evening at his home, 813 A street southeast, from blood poisoning and lockjaw. His remains will be taken to the morgue, where his funeral occurs this evening.

**Eighteenth Precinct Stationkeeper Kelly is away on a short visit.**

—Daniel Burnett, while cleaning a sewer on East Capitol street, between Sixth and Seventh streets, yesterday afternoon, was overcome by the sewer gas, and he was removed to his home in the patrol wagon.

The ferry boat of Alexandria is at the Navy Yard for repairs.

**Lower Cedar Point.**  
The excursion to Lower Cedar Point this season, under the efficient management of Mr. B. C. Davis, are proving a delightful attraction to Washington pleasure-seekers. Many improvements have been made at this popular resort, among which its shady parking deserves particular mention, and the facilities for reaching the point were never before so convenient and comfortable as they are now by the fast steamer Jane Moseley. Prompt attendance to the wants of excursionists and the most thorough of treatment by the highest medical enterprise, from Superintendent Davis down to the last employee of the boat or the chalet, is another decidedly agreeable feature, to which may be added the excellent catering on board by Mr. Freund, the popular confectioner, and on shore by Mr. Chalet, whose dinners would be a credit to the best of city establishments. Excellent music is also furnished for the trip by the Messrs. Heston, and with Pilot Haney at the wheel the passengers feel quite as safe as if at home.

**The Norwood Institute.**  
The fifth annual session of the Norwood Institute, 1212 and 1214 Fourteenth street northwest, will open September 29, under the supervision of Mr. and Mrs. William D. Cabell, whose high standing and distinguished success as educators have been long and widely recognized. The Institute is a Select Business and Day School for young ladies and little girls, for whose social and physical as well as intellectual culture this excellent establishment furnishes every advantage. The thorough instruction is comprehensive and systematic, particular attention being paid to the cultivation of individual talent and the special requirements of pupils. As a preparation for the practical duties of life, Mr. and Mrs. Cabell enjoy an extended and valuable acquaintance with this summer engaged in the conduct of a vacation school at their residence, "Norwood," Nelson County, Va.

**The Growlers' Ad.**  
To-morrow, promptly at 6:30 p. m., the steamer Corcoran will leave her wharf, destined for Marshall Hall, which has become a very popular resort for excursionists. On this occasion the Corcoran will be laden with Washington Lodge, No. 2, "The Growlers," and such others as desire to embrace an opportunity for a moonlight trip down the river. "The Growlers" have heretofore been very popular in the matter of their objectionable characters from accompanying them on these excursions, and every precaution has been taken to prevent any exceptions being made in this respect to-morrow evening, thus insuring their guests against annoyance that is sometimes a cause for complaint on such occasions. For further information see their advertisement in another column.

**Another City Postoffice Needed.**  
Mr. James E. Bell, Superintendent of the City Delivery at the Postoffice, has prepared a table of statistics showing the amount of work done by his department during the last year, ending June 30, 1885, and the increase over 1884. From July 1, 1885, to June 30, 1886, 50,130,520 letters and 8,505,520 papers were received at the City Postoffice, being an increase of 10,385,055 letters and 1,375,680 papers over 1885. The amount of postage sold in this city for the same time was \$1,080,344, being an increase of \$7,608.72 over 1885.

**In the Police Court To-day.**  
Lawyer C. Maurice Smith to witness: "William Jackson, what do you do for a living?"  
William Jackson (colored): "I wait."  
The case was one of assault with intent to kill.  
Lawyer Smith: "So you know all about this case?"  
William Jackson: "I certainly do. I planned it all."  
It was developed that William Jackson was only really planned the attack, but had only made a diagram of the scene of the fight.

**A Senate Scene.**  
"You don't come outside this chamber and say that," yelled an irate Senator. "Say what?" answered his opponent. "That 'Charles' whiskey is the best in the market." "The gentleman is mistaken," I never said it. I know better." Then peace followed her wings over the ceremony down in the basements.

**Laid in the River.**  
About 1:45 p. m. Howard Hill of 1225 Eleventh street started and Will Woodworth of 1227 street started from Ritter's boat-house for a walk. When opposite the Leary's wharf, Woodworth fell out and was drowned. The body was recovered and the coroner notified.

**On the Wheel Through Europe.**  
Three members of the Capital Bicycle Club, Messrs. P. T. Dodge, F. R. Lane and H. S. Owen, will sail on the 31st for Liverpool. They will take their machines with them, and spend about three weeks in a wheel through Europe.

**Love and Noise.**  
Among the South Sea Islanders the noise is made to be a medium of expression of affection and amity. Tribes swearing everlasting peace seal the compact with a promiscuous rubbing of noses against noses. By the same frictional process maidens declare their loves at parting and joys on reunion with other maidens, the action being attended by a loud and noisy rubbing of the shedding of a power of love. Love makes their amatory declarations through their noses, their courtship being a protracted series of rubbing of noses to noses.—(Chambers' Journal.)

## WASHINGTONIANS HONORED.

Nelson Division No. 2, Knights of Pythias, Complicated at Toronto. When the Supreme Lodge, Knights of Pythias, and the visiting knights at Toronto last week were invited to the Government House by the Lieutenant-Governor, Nelson Division No. 2 was highly complimented in being requested to act as escort for the body. Accordingly on Thursday afternoon, headed by the Glen Rock (Pa.) Band, the knights marched into the magnificent grounds of the Governor's mansion, accompanied by the Supreme Lodge officers and their members. There were fully 200 members of the order present, all of whom were introduced to His Honor and Mrs. Robinson. The building was handsomely decorated.

Nelson Division having tendered the services of their band to the Governor for a concert, they were shown to the ball-room, where they rendered music that won every heart. The director of the band, Mr. M. Z. Seitz, was personally complimented by the Governor and his wife. His Honor, Mr. Robinson, then made remarks complimentary to the Supreme Lodge and the order generally, which were replied to by Supreme Chancellor John Van Valkenburg of Iowa in his usual happy style, after which all participated in a right royal repast.

Among those present from Washington were the members of Nelson Division, of the Supreme Lodge, including: Ed. Dunn and G. M. of E. S. Bunch; Supreme Secretary of the Endowment Rank, Halston Nelson, Supreme T. A. John W. Thompson, and Colonel J. G. L. Foxwell, Supreme Representative, and J. H. Rathbone. The festivities at the Government House concluded at 5:30 p. m. Prominent among the Pythian journalists were Captain Dodd, the Knight's Sword and Shield, Fort Madison, Iowa; Dr. Charles of the Knight, Erie, Ohio; and J. H. Rathbone of the Pythian World, Washington, D. C., and several local papers were represented.

## FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

**Petroleum.**  
B. K. Plaid & Co., St. Cloud Building, furnish the following Oil quotations: Closed yesterday, 66¢; opened today, 66½¢; highest, 67¢; lowest, 66½¢; 315 p. m., 67¢.

**New York Stock Market.**  
The following have been furnished by J. Vanne Lewis, broker, southeast corner Eighth and F streets:

NAME.	O.	H.	L.	C.
Can Pa.....	67	67	67	67
Del & D.....	135	135	135	135
C. & O.....	135	135	135	135
C. & M. & H.....	97	97	97	97
D. & W.....	126	126	126	126
D. & R. G.....	28	28	28	28
Erie.....	32	32	32	32
Gen. & N. Y.....	92	92	92	92
Can. & T. X.....	30	30	30	30
Ill. Cen.....	55	55	55	55
Shore.....	64	64	64	64
N. & N. S.....	42	42	42	42
Man. & C.....	134	134	134	134
Mich. Cen.....	29	29	29	29
Mo. Pa.....	107	107	107	107
N. West.....	113	113	113	113

**Chicago Markets.**  
The following summary is by B. K. Plaid & Co., St. Cloud building, Ninth and streets:

	O.	H.	L.	C.
Wheat—Aug.....	78	78	78	78
Sept.....	80	80	79	80
Oct.....	82	82	81	82
Corn—Aug.....	82	82	38	82
Sept.....	38	40	39	38
Oct.....	40	40	40	40
Oats—Aug.....	29	29	29	29
Sept.....	29	30	29	29
Oct.....	30	30	30	30
Pork—Aug.....	970	970	965	970
Sept.....	980	980	975	977
Oct.....	985	990	982	982
Lard—Aug.....	662	662	655	660
Sept.....	670	670	662	670
Oct.....	650	650	645	647